HMK/mb FS8331

complaint herein:

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK	Y
C & F INTERNATIONAL, INC.	ECF CASE
Plaintiff,	
-against- M/V NIHAT M, her engines, boilers, tackle, etc., RED FUNNEL SHIPPING LTD., ATLANTIK DENIZCILIK TICARET, ASSURANCEFORENINGEN SKULD	VERIFIED COMPLAINT
Defendants.	X
Plaintiffs through their attorney, KINGSLEY &	KINGSLEY, allege for their

- 1. This is a claim under the Court's Admiralty and Maritime jurisdiction with respect to the carriage of goods by water, and under the Federal question jurisdiction under the Interstate Commerce Act, and Court's diversity and pendent jurisdiction with respect to the remaining aspects of the claim.
- 2. Plaintiffs are the owners or duly authorized representatives of the owners or underwriters or subrogated underwriters of cargo shipped on board the captioned vessel which is more particularly described in Schedule A hereto, and for which bills of lading were issued, or should have been issued.
- 3. Defendants were vessel owners, suppliers, sellers, shippers, inspectors, managers, operators, charterers, freight forwarders, stevedores, terminal operators,

common carriers by water and by land, bailees for hire, owners and operators of ocean

containers, insurers and sureties with respect to the cargo described in Schedule A hereto

which was sold, shipped, inspected, carried, kept, discharged and delivered from the

captioned vessel, inland conveyances, terminals and warehouses by defendants.

4. The cargo described in Schedule A was damaged by defendants due to the fault,

neglect, deviation, unseaworthiness, maritime tort, tortious interference with contract,

breach of warranty, sinking, stranding, salvage expenses, general average and conversion

of defendants, their agents and servants, and delivered by defendants in non-conforming

and contaminated condition.

5. The vessel is now or will be during the pendency of this action within the

jurisdiction of this Honorable Court.

6. Plaintiffs' sue on their own behalf and as agents and trustees on behalf of any

other party who may now have or hereinafter acquire an interest in this action.

7. Plaintiffs damages are in excess of \$40,000.00.

WHEREFORE, plaintiffs demand judgment in an amount exceeding \$40,000.00,

plus interest and costs.

Dated: November 1, 2016

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SCHEDULE A

OUR REF: GA8331

VESSEL: M/V NIHAT M

CARGO: RE BAR

PORTS: MARTAS, TURKEY/HOUSTON

BILL OF LADING: GWCDNMO915MAH003

DATED: SEPTEMBER 30,2015

DAMAGE: SEAWATER

AMOUNT: \$40,000.00

VERIFICATION

Harold M. Kingsley, the undersigned, an attorney admitted to practice in the courts of the state of New York , state that I am the attorney of record C & F INTERNATIONAL, INC., in the within action; I have read the foregoing Complaint and know the contents thereof; and I declare and affirm under penalties of perjury that the same is true to my knowledge based on documents in my file, on information and belief, and which I believe to be true.

The reason this Verification is made by the undersigned and not by an officer of C & F INTERNATIONAL, INC., is that there are no officers now present in Nassau County where affiant has his office.

Dated: November 1, 2016

HAROLD M. KINGSLEY

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

NOTICE OF RIGHT TO CONSENT TO DISPOSITION OF A CIVIL CASE BY A UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE

In accordance with the provisions of 28 U. S. C., Sec. 636 (c), you are hereby notified that the United States Magistrate of this District Court, in addition to their other duties; may, upon the consent of all the parties in a civil case, conduct any or all proceedings in a civil case, including a jury or non-jury trial, and order the entry of a final judgment. Copies of appropriate consent forms, for this purpose are available from the clerk of the court.*

You should be aware that your decision to consent, or not to consent, to the referral of your case to a United States Magistrate for disposition is entirely voluntary and should be communicated solely to the clerk of the District Court. Only if all the parties to the case consent to the reference to a Magistrate will either the Judge or Magistrate to whom the case has been assigned be informed of your decision. The district judge to whom your case is assigned must approve the reference of the case to a Magistrate for disposition.

An appeal from a judgment entered by a Magistrate may be taken directly to the United States Court of Appeals for this judicial circuit in the same manner as an appeal from any other judgment of a District Court. 28 U. S. C., Sec. 6361 (c) (4). Cases in which an appeal is taken to the District Court may be reviewed by the Court of Appeals with leave of the latter court. 28 U. S. C., Sec. 636 (c) (5). Copies of the consent forms for appeals to the District Court are available from the clerk of the court.*

*Room 14 (A), Lower Lobby.